

U. S. FOREIGN POLICY HELPFUL

Administration's Aim to Promote Harmony

SOME ACCOMPLISHMENTS

One-Man Rule Avoided—Government Conducted Without Usurpation, Resulting in Economy And More Efficiency.

Boston, Mass.—A foreign policy of helpfulness and good understanding, without entanglements which would fetter American independence, was outlined by Secretary Hughes of the State Department in an address in Symphony Hall reviewing the record of the present administration in the field of international relations.

By the lead it took in the arms conference, the Secretary said, and by its efforts toward harmony among the nations of the Western Hemisphere, the American Government during the past twenty months has set a record of accomplishment far beyond what was expected of it when the new administration came into power.

So far as Europe is concerned, Mr. Hughes declared, President Harding and his advisers always have been ready to lend a helping hand where it would do the most good, but are not willing to fritter away the influence of the United States by intervention in controversies that are rooted in age-old national rivalries.

"The chief trouble at this time in Europe," he continued, "is that the great powers have not been able to agree as to questions which, being distinctly European, directly concern them, and their want of agreement is due to different conceptions of essential national policy. For us, international co-operation does not mean that we should embroil ourselves in controversies not involving our own interests."

The Secretary added that he believed a way might be found for the United States to participate formally in the selection of judges to the recently organized International Court of Justice, a project which from the first has had the sympathy of this Government. He declared that already, in a humanitarian way and through the channels of trade, the United States was really giving aid of a value incalculable. He praised the arms conference agreements as "meanings" "the rescue of the world from despair," and predicted that despite the present delay the Washington treaties would be ratified by all the powers signatory to them. Ultimate failure of the conference program, he asserted, had been precluded in any case by the ratification already voted by the United States, Great Britain and Japan.

Among the other accomplishments reviewed by Mr. Hughes, as a part of the constructive program of the administration, were the negotiation of a peace treaty with Germany, the Yap agreement protecting American interests in the mandate islands in the Pacific, the reorganization of Cuba's finance, the Tacna-Arica arbitration agreement between Chile and Peru, the calling of a conference here of Central American republics, and the stabilization of Haiti and Santo Domingo.

PERFECT MAN" DISCOVERED.

Attorney In Oklahoma Claims Title In Court Testimony.

Oklahoma City, Okla.—"The perfect man" has been found. He is J. Emmett Buckley, an Oklahoma City attorney.

Buckley admitted it when he was testifying as witness in a disbarment proceeding against Ross N. Lillard, State Senator, and J. W. Burns, an attorney.

"I neither smoke, chew, drink nor swear," Buckley testified. "I never have broken a moral law or a law of God. I went into partnership with Senator Lillard to give his firm a stand and to reform Lillard."

"You admit, then, that you are a perfect man?" asked the defense counsel.

"I do," Buckley answered; "as nearly perfect as a man can be."

ESCAPED PARSON ARRESTED.

Oklahoman Wanted For Theft Working As Day Laborer.

Alamosa, Colo.—Garbed in overalls and working as a day laborer in the railroad yards here, the Rev. J. C. Trotter, former pastor of the Haleyville (Okla.) Methodist Church, was arrested on a charge of embezzling church funds. Trotter, who escaped from the McAlester (Okla.) jail while awaiting trial, admitted his guilt and added that others were implicated in the case.

RECLUSE SLAIN AND ROBBED.

Murder Believed To Have Followed Display Of \$1,000 Bill.

Binghamton, N. Y.—Cyrus Payne, a 75-year-old recluse, was found murdered in a small shack near Brushville, Pa. His skull had been crushed. It is believed he was murdered to obtain a \$1,000 bill he was seen to have in his possession.

DRYS WANT ODDS IN OHIO.

Even Money On Beer Referendum Goes Begging.

Columbus, O.—Thousands of dollars of even money that the proposed beer and wine amendment to the State Constitution will be approved by the people at the election next month, went begging for takers in Ohio. Betting reports from all over the State indicated a belief that wet forces will be victorious.

BRITISH LIQUOR SCHOONER FREED BY DAUGHERTY.

Washington.—Release of the British schooner Grace and Edna at New York was ordered by the Department of Justice after a review of the evidence in the case, which is understood to have established that prohibition officials making the seizure were unable to show conclusively that the vessel had been in illegal communication with the shore.

In some respects the case is similar to that of the Canadian schooner Emerald, ordered released last week. The evidence against other vessels seized in prohibition enforcement is under consideration at the Justice Department and it was indicated that definite action in a number of other cases would be taken in the near future.

The Grace and Edna was one of 14 cases cited by the British Embassy in its recent protest to the State Department regarding the Emerald seizure.

MANY WAR CLAIMS IN U. S. COURT

Now Amount to \$350,000,000 May Reach \$3,000,000,000

WIDE RANGE IN DEMANDS

Include Little Stamp Books, Infringements, And Damages To Crops By Airplanes—Claims Hardly Begun.

Washington.—The United States Court of Claims has reconvened with a large calendar of important cases for the winter term. Actions involving approximately \$350,000,000 arising out of the country's activities during the World War are pending and the influx of these cases has hardly begun. The ultimate aggregate of such claims is estimated by the Attorney-General at between \$2,000,000,000 and \$3,000,000,000.

These actions are brought into the court by plaintiffs having claims against all departments of the Government, including actions for requisitioning of ships and railroads, transportation of troops, ammunition and supplies, infringement of patents for high explosives, submarine boats and torpedoes, wireless and radio apparatus, contracts for anti-aircraft engines and guns, military and naval supplies and ammunition, appropriation of camp sites and naval bases, together with contracts for manufacturing and acts of commandeering of almost endless diversity.

The petition of one inventor claims \$1,000,000 for the little pocket books of stamps which are sold at every postoffice. Another claims that as early as 1905 he invented a gliding machine, involving the principles upon which every airplane operated by the Government is reconstructed, and if successful he may recover \$10,000,000. About \$1,000,000 is asked for infringement in the manufacture of torpedoes and about \$30,000,000 for radio apparatus.

One test case is brought by a savings bank to determine the liability of the Government for stolen Government bonds and coupons, and if successful will result in other suits which it is estimated, will swell the Government's liability to \$150,000,000.

Other claims are made for injuries to persons and property by mail trucks, and reimbursement is claimed by farmers for destruction of land and crops by lighting mail planes.

The owner of intoxicating liquor, whose supply has been illegally confiscated by prohibition officials seeks indemnity in money damages.

In preparation for the disposition of this new business the Court of Claims has so cleared its dockets that not only pending suits but actions based on these war claims are given immediate attention, and all cases are disposed of as rapidly as they are prepared and presented by counsel.

BRINGS 26,000 SEAL SKINS.

Catch From Pribilof Islands Reaches Seattle.

Seattle, Wash.—The steamship Brookdale has arrived here with about 26,000 seal skins taken last summer in the Pribilof Islands, Alaska. The skins, Harry J. Christofers, agent of the United States Bureau of Fisheries, announced, are worth from \$10 to \$15 each in their present raw state, and about \$35 each tanned.

ELECTION COST HIM NOTHING

New Senator From Georgia Files Campaign Fund Statement.

Washington.—It did not cost Judge Walter F. George a nickel to win the Senate seat from Georgia, made vacant by the death of Senator Watson, according to a sworn statement filed with the Secretary of the Senate. Mr. George reported that no contributions had been received or expenditures made in his behalf had been made by himself or any agents.

ASK U. S. AID FOR LEAGUE

Japanese Delegate Wants Washington To Co-operate.

Geneva.—The co-operation of the United States with the labor bureau of the League of Nations was declared highly desirable here at the International Labor Conference in a resolution presented by the delegate of the Japanese Government. The conference was urged to find some means of obtaining the adherence of the United States to the bureau.

PUBLIC OWNERSHIP WANES.

Australian Government Goes Out Of Shipbuilding Business.

Sydney, Australia.—Government ownership is on the wane in Australia. The Australian Government has announced it is going out of the shipbuilding business and also out of the business of owning and operating merchant steamers. As for its woolen mills, it has decided that they should be handed over to private enterprise.

FASCISTI SEIZE ITALIAN TOWNS

Florence, Pisa and Cremona Among Cities

SIX SHOT IN CREMONA

New Cabinet Waits—Mussolini Expected To Name Ministry Or Dictate To Salandra.

London.—The Times prints a "message from Italy," without naming source, saying: "The Fascisti at 11:30 (Friday night) began a concerted action on several towns. They are now masters of some of the chief towns like Florence, Pisa and Cremona. Communications between north, south and central Italy have been interrupted."

"Everywhere in these towns they depose the state authorities and assume command. It seems there was no resistance and no conflict, except in Cremona, where six Fascisti were shot. Everything is quiet in Milan, where there is a great display of troops. There is no news from other centers."

Benito Mussolini, head of the Fascisti, remained in Milan and had numerous conferences with Fascisti leaders and also a talk with a local prefect, says a dispatch to the Times from Milan. The dispatch gives the text of a circular which the Fascisti have distributed in Pisa and other places. It says:

"Officers, soldiers, citizens: The Fascisti movement is neither against the country nor against the King. We want His Majesty to be really King of Italy and not submit himself to State actions which are cowardly imposed on him by his present weak ministers."

"We march on to Rome to give Italy her full liberty; give the Italian people an Italy as was dreamed of the half million dead in the great war and by our own dead who continued at war during peace."

"Marching with the sincere desire of peace and love, our greatest shout shall always be "Long live the King, long live the King and long live Italy."

King Returns To Rome.

Rome.—The Italian Cabinet, headed by Premier Facta, handed their resignations to the King Friday.

The announcement had been expected and therefore caused no surprise among the people of Rome. King Victor Emmanuel has requested Premier Facta and his colleagues in the ministry to continue their routine work until a new government has been constituted. Meanwhile the members of all the political parties express the hope that no disorders will result and that the various factions will permit the crisis to be soled without any undue pressure.

RAT POISON KILLS CHILD.

Girl Refuses To Admit Eating Stick Hidden By Mother.

New York.—Detectives of the Greenpoint station have been making an investigation as a result of the death of Agnes Thompson, 12 years old, who bit into a sample of rat poison in her home.

The child's mother, Mrs. Margaret Thompson, said the poison had been given her by a canvaress who called at the house. To keep it from her daughter, she put it on a high shelf. The child in turn refused to admit finding the poison until she was taken to the Wyckoff street hospital. The girl died there.

MEXICAN REBEL REINFORCED.

Murguia Is Joined By Forces Under Arrieta Brothers.

Eagle Pass, Texas.—Gen. Francisco Murguia, Mexican revolutionary leader, recently reported hiding in the hills of Sinaloa following his defeat by Federal troops, has been joined by forces under the Arrieta brothers and will attempt a "comeback," according to reports here. Murguia and his troops are near the Durango-Sinaloa state line. Pablo Carrasco, commanding rebel forces recently recruited in Sinaloa, is understood to be conferring with Murguia and the Arrietas.

CHICAGO BATHERS OUT.

Warm October Weather Sends Many To Swim In Lake.

Chicago.—Hundreds of hardy bathers took advantage of the warmest late October weather Chicago has experienced for 50 years, by dips in Lake Michigan Sunday. Six swimming races were held at the South Shore Country Club, the feature of which was a 220-yard free-style event for women.

When the bundles were opened each was found to contain a large American flag and a letter, signed by the Ku Klux Klan. The letter asked that the flag be flown over the building every school day and that the Bible be read at each session. Another flag was promised when this one, by constant use, had become "tattered and worn."

KLAN ADOPTS NEW STUNT.

Stranger Leaves Flags With Five Public School Heads.

Punxsutawney, Pa.—Quietly walking into the principal's office of each of the five public school buildings in Punxsutawney, a well-dressed stranger placed a bundle on his desk with the remark: "Here's a bundle for you." He then walked away.

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KIDNAPPED GIRL FOUND.

Marianna, Fla.—Helen, 9-year-old daughter of Mrs. M. B. Travis, of Chicago, who was kidnapped in Chicago last August, was found here in custody of Mrs. Florence Spencer. The child's mother readily identified her daughter.

HARDING BUYS CERTIFICATES

Purchases \$1,125 Worth Of New Treasury Issue.

Washington.—President Harding at Friday's Cabinet meeting, went to the steps of the executive offices and there purchased from Secretary Mellon \$1,125 in Treasury savings certificates, tendering to the Secretary his check for \$24,50, their present price. The President purchased one \$25, one \$100 and one \$7,000 certificate.

60-YEAR-OLD WIFE CLUBS HUSBAND OF 90 TO DEATH.

Chicago.—Isaac Glick, 90 years old, blind and feeble, was clubbed to death by his wife, Mary, who is 60 years old. She wrenched out the leg of a heavy Morris chair and used it as a weapon. Neighbors, aroused by screams and the sound of fighting, peered in the windows and saw the woman beating Glick.

When the police arrived, Mrs. Glick said she and her husband had quarreled over insurance and that she struck him in self-defense. His skull was fractured and one of his ears hung by a shred.

DODGERS OF TAX OVER MILLION

Drive Against Army of Income Tax Delinquents

COUNT ON \$500,000,000

Sees Possibility Of Covering Entire Treasury Deficit Of \$700,000,000

—New York Heads List.

Washington.—Government revenue agents and auditors, just catching up with their after-the-war work, have made the startling discovery that more than 1,000,000 persons liable for taxes on incomes above \$5,000 have dodged payment, either through not making returns or concealing assets.

This was learned at the Treasury Department, simultaneously with the inauguration of a drive on the part of the Internal Revenue Bureau to catch the evaders.

Revenue experts estimate that the Treasury can be enriched to the extent of \$500,000,000 in collections from individuals who have failed to make any returns for four years.

In cataloguing taxpayers throughout the country agents have found that the number of persons who should have made returns and did not will total nearly 1,000,000. In addition there is also shown in the reports a large class of tax evaders who have put themselves in the \$5,000 class, whereas their earnings are considerably larger than that.

Orders have gone out to internal revenue collectors to make a round-up of small business concerns in large cities. These cities will be centers of a whirlwind smash at the evaders in the next few weeks. From New York, Philadelphia, Boston, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Detroit, St. Louis, San Francisco and Pittsburgh the drive will be extended to other cities upon an equally vigorous scale, it was said by Treasury officials.

The Government's greatest loss from tax revenues since the war is ascribed to "shirking" by small business concerns in the larger cities. The Government has gained access to bank accounts and other data, which reveals the liability of thousands of such concerns. The evaders have hidden in the majority of cases behind faulty accounting methods and in a surprisingly large number of cases, it was shown by the preliminary investigations, ledgers were not used at all.

In New York City it is estimated that 50,000 or more merchants of different kinds have dodged taxes by failing to make any return showing earnings. In the after-war rush this class of concerns has been catching up in its annual audits, and is checking back over listed firms and individuals with parallel data showing business profits.

Some officials said if the campaign of recovery is as successful as officials anticipate, the entire estimated deficit of \$700,000,000 this year may be overcome.

The Treasury's extra efforts grow out of the fact that the Administration faces the necessity of finding new additional taxes, unless some other way is found to balance receipts and expenditures.

PHILADELPHIA.—Wheat

—No. 2 red winter, \$1.28@1.29; No. 3 garlic, \$1.12@1.13.

Corn—No. 2, for export, \$4 1/4@8 1/4c; No. 3, 83 1/2@84 1/2; No. 4, 82 1/2@83 1/2.

Oats—No. 2 white, 57@58c; No. 3 white, 55 1/2@56.

TOWNSEND

Richard Hodgeson and wife spent Wednesday in Wilmington. Misses Estella and Anna VanDyke spent Tuesday in Wilmington. Warner Price and wife, of Smyrna, visited L. L. Maloney and wife Sunday. Mrs. Howard Townsend has returned home, after a week's visit in Wilmington. Miss Bessie Collins entertained Miss Lena Staats, of Wilmington, last Sunday.

Professor Wiley went to Laurel, and remained at his home from Friday until Sunday.

Mrs. L. L. Maloney and Mrs. W. A. Scott spent Tuesday with friends in Wilmington.

Mrs. Levi Lattomus and Miss Ethelwyn J. Maloney spent Wednesday in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Edward Reynolds and daughter, Miss Helen Reynolds, spent Tuesday in Philadelphia.

Daniel H. Jones and wife, and Mrs. Walter Morgan motored to Dover one day last week.

Miss Elizabeth Maloney spent the week-end with Miss Florence Martin in Wilmington.

George P. Collins, of Wilmington, visited his father, John P. Collins and family, Sunday.

Mrs. Clara Knott spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. John Dawson, at Cheswold.

John P. Collins spent part of last week with his boyhood chum, George Warren, in Wilmington.

Clarence S. Collins and family, of Kirkwood, spent last Sunday with his father, John P. Collins.

Stockton Townsend, of Philadelphia, spent the week-end with his parents, Howard Townsend and wife.

Mrs. R. R. Reynolds, Mrs. W. P. Wilson and Mrs. C. L. Shockley were Philadelphia visitors on Tuesday.

Mrs. Martha Fennimore is spending a week with her sisters, Mrs. Benjamin West and Mrs. Clarence Hutchison.

Walter Morgan and wife enjoyed a motor trip to Philadelphia on Friday morning and returned on Saturday afternoon.

The Parent-Teachers Association at a recent meeting voted to raise \$25 during the coming year as a contribution to the University Memorial Library.

Miss Naomi Hardister motored to Philadelphia with her uncle, William Clark and family, of Dover, and spent the week-end with Frank Gallon and family.

John Townsend and wife had as Sunday guests Mr. Hubbard and wife, and Mrs. Kannagy, of Richardson Park; also Samuel Townsend and wife, who spent part of this week with them.

The Daughters of America will have their lunch counter in the Dickinson garage, near the corner of Main street and Railroad avenue on election day and expect to serve oyster stews, sandwiches, coffee, rolls and pie.

Mrs. Leon Buckson accompanied her husband to the Medico-Chi Hospital, Philadelphia, last week where he underwent an operation for appendicitis. Reports from the hospital are to the effect that he is getting along as well as can be expected.

The Parent-Teachers Association gave a tea and bazaar Thursday evening and at a business meeting at the home of Mrs. Walter Lee on Saturday evening, they found the supper had cleared them \$80, which will be used to make an addition of 60 volumes to the school library.

The Parent-Teachers Association have already enrolled 50 members for the present school year, and are planning to present their series of six programs provided by the State Association. The first of the series will be given November 14th. All members and friends are urged to be present.

The memorial library which is to be built on the campus at the University of Delaware, to be paid for by popular subscriptions, received good support here, the solicitors having made good collections toward the raising of the funds and those aiding the solicitors in the drive were Mrs. Richard Hodgeson, Mrs. R. R. Reynolds and Wilson Lattomus in town, and in the country were: Mrs. Russell Townsend, Mrs. H. B. McDowell and Mrs. Cora Heindold. Riley Watson furnished the car for Apoquinimink hundred.

November records now on sale at the music store of B. F. Gallagher.

WARWICK

Miss Alice Boyles is spending some time with relatives at Wilmington.

Mrs. J. R. H. Price spent several days in the week in Wilmington.

George Lane and wife and Mrs. H. M. Eaton were Wilmington visitors recently.

Harry Pierson and wife, of Wilmington, were visitors in and near town Sunday.

Mrs. C. R. Lynch, of Middletown, spent several days of this week with friends in town.

Bayard Jordan, wife and sons, of near Bethel, visited her parents, H. M. Eaton and wife, Sunday.

Miss Eula Vinyard, of Delaware City, spent the week-end with her mother Mrs. Verena Vinyard.

Mrs. Walter Aiken, of Philadelphia, spent several days of last week at the home of her mother, Mrs. Alfred Jones.

Mrs. William Thornton and Guy Lockerman and family spent Sunday with their son, Mrs. Molly Miller, at Wharton, Md.

John H. Price and wife entertained over the week-end Edward Chaney, wife and son and Joseph Gentile, wife and son, of Carney's Point.

Sunday school Sunday morning at 9:30; Christian Endeavor, 7 P. M.; preaching by the pastor Rev. C. M. Cullom, 7:30. A cordial welcome extended to all.

A Thanksgiving party was enjoyed by numerous folks at the home of Miss Elizabeth Gibbons, on Monday evening, and Tuesday evening the smaller ones had a good time at the Hallowe'en party, Miss Mary George.

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SUMMIT BRIDGE

Rodney Clark visited Earle Sartin recently.

E. S. Howard was a Sunday guest of J. O. Clark.

Mrs. Sallie Mumford spent Wednesday in Middletown.

Mrs. B. F. Crouch is entertaining her aunt Miss Annie Price, of Earleville, Md.

George Kane, of Marcus Hook, spent Saturday with his mother, Mrs. J. W. Kane.

Mrs. B. Pleasanton on Sunday entertained her sisters Miss May and Mable Marker.

Margaret Clark spent part of the past week with Harriett Black in Middletown.

Mrs. J. L. Weber and son, of Porter, spent Sunday with her parents, J. H. Crompton and wife.

Mrs. Roy Hill and son, Carlisle, were weekend guests of her parents, William Hobson and wife.

Mrs. Isaac Cleaver and son, Fred, were Monday guests of her parents, Fred Robinson and wife.

Mrs. Bella Salmon has returned home after an extended visit with her parents Harvey Jewell and wife.

Mrs. Charlie Kane and daughter, Nancy, are visiting her parents, James Lewis and wife at Marcus Hook, Pa.

Millard Golt and wife on Sunday evening entertained Walter Crompton, mother and children and Mrs. Sentman.

William Thompson, wife and son, Floyd, were Sunday guests of her mother, Mrs. Wilkinson, at the Cedars.

Mrs. J. W. Kane on Wednesday entertained Rev. Ivanhoe Willis and wife and George Denny and wife, of Marlinton.

Stephen Foley, Jr. and wife on Sunday entertained B. F. Crouch, wife and children, Miss Annie Price, of Earleville, Md., and Stephen Foley, Sr.

Mrs. J. W. Kane, Mrs. Sallie Mumford, Margaret Clark, Katharine Kane and George Kane were Saturday evening guests of William Elliott and wife near Christians.

Edith Golt, Florence Calhoun and Floyd Thompson were overnight guests of their teacher, Miss Alyce Hutton, near Elkton, on Tuesday, where they attended the halloween celebration.

Herman Bender, while trimming up a stick, in some way the axe slipped and cut his arm quite badly, and it was necessary to summons a doctor. At this writing the wound is healing very nicely.

Mrs. Clifton Deputy and sons Earle and Howard, spent Sunday with her brother, Edwin Spear, whose wife is very ill at Union Hospital, Elkton, Md. At this writing the doctor gives Mr. Spear a little encouragement in regards to her condition.

The masquerade party held in the community room was very well attended.

A good time was had by all. Prizes were given for the prettiest and funniest costume. Miss Lillian Shelton won a cake for the prettiest and Mrs. Eliza Bender, a bouncing baby for the funniest. Refreshments of ham sandwiches and coffee were served.

ODESSA

Dr. Pollard, of Wilmington, was a recent visitor in town.

Mrs. Leven James is entertaining relatives from Goshen, N. Y.

Mrs. Harry Long, of West Chester, Pa., was a recent visitor in town.

Mrs. Elizabeth Long is spending sometime with friends, near Wilmington.

Miss Frances Clark, of Middletown, was a recent guest of Miss Alice Reynolds.

Mr. Joseph Thompson, of Smyrna, is spending sometime with Mr. J. K. Orrell.

Mr. James DeVore has moved his family into the Smith property on High street.

Miss Elizabeth Gibbons, of near Townsend, has been visiting Miss Sarah McClain.

Mrs. Joseph Hampson and son have returned from a recent visit to Baltimore, Md.

Joseph M. Armstrong, a former resident of town was a recent visitor with relatives here.

Miss Ethel Jarrell, of near Mt. Pleasant, has been spending sometime with Mrs. J. K. Orrell.

Mrs. Anna Porter, of Wilmington, was a recent visitor with her cousin, Mrs. F. B. Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Nichols, of Port Penn, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Buckson.

Mr. C. D. Aspin, of Wilmington, was a Saturday visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Aspin.

Joseph Coll and family, who have been spending the summer here, have returned to their Philadelphia home.

Mrs. O. C. Stevens and Miss May C. Enos have returned from a recent trip to Baltimore, Md., and Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. George Buckson have been spending sometime with their son Leon Buckson, who is under treatment at the Medico-Chi Hospital, Philadelphia.

The playlet "Too Much Married," which was staged by the young folks of the Presbyterian Church on Thursday evening last, will be repeated at the Port Penn Town Hall, in the near future.

Farm Yield Good This Year

That the past season has been one of the greatest in several years, for Delaware orchardmen, is indicated by the large shipments made over the Delaware Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

The apple shipments for last week was 249,112 baskets, as compared with 8 baskets for the corresponding week of last year. To date 1,550,469 baskets of apples have been shipped as compared with 114,435 baskets for the corresponding period last year.

Last week's shipment of pears also greatly outnumbered the baskets shipped in the corresponding period last year. The shipment last week totalled 4,943 baskets as compared with none for the corresponding week last year. The total shipments to date numbers 139,160 baskets with no comparison made on the company's records.

The peninsula tomato crop is another one of the profitable ones for the farmers this year. Last week 4,945 baskets of tomatoes were shipped over the division, as compared with 1,267 baskets for the corresponding week last year, totalling 329,855 baskets to date as compared with 116,413 baskets for the corresponding period last year.

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Classified Column**FOR SALE**

FOR SALE—Gunning and Trespass notices at THE TRANSCRIPT OFFICE.

FOR SALE—Cider Apples 10c per basket. Also pure sweet cider. J. S. Moore, Middletown, Del.

FOR SALE—Pure-bred Guernsey Bull Calf, entitled to register, and a fine specimen. C. K. BURGE, Middletown, Del. Phone 13822.

FOR SALE—Sweet preserved cider sold by the gallon or more, also winter apples. ALFRED HELLER, Townsend, Del.

FOR SALE—Pure-bred White Rock roosters. Also pure-bred White Pecan ducks and drakes. MRS. L. B. MARVEL, Townsend, Del. Phone 13822.

CIDER—Have installed hydraulic cider press, and will make cider on Wednesday and Fridays. Also barrels for sale. WILLIAM Y. ELLISON, Noxontown Mills.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Garage on Main street. Apply to A. FOGL, Middletown, Del.

WANTED

WANTED—Carpenters, 65c per hour. JOHN GARNER, Warwick, Md.

WANTED—Ford coupe, in good order. State price and model. Apply to THIS OFFICE.

WANTED—A gentleman's riding saddle. Must be in good condition. English style preferred. Price reasonable. Apply to THIS OFFICE.

WANTED—Operators at the Underwear Factory of Tokpis Bros. Co. The management has houses to rent to families having two or more girls old enough to work in factory or to secure board for girls at reasonable prices. Call or write to TOKPIS BROS. CO., Smyrna, Delaware.

REAL ESTATE

By virtue of a renewed order of the Orphans' Court of the State of Delaware, in and for New Castle County, made the twenty-fifth day of October, A. D. 1922, will be exposed to sale at Public Auction or Vendue,

ON SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11TH, 1922, at 9:30 o'clock, A. M.

at the County Court House, Wilmington, Delaware, the following described property:

NO. 2, ALL that certain lot or piece of land situate in the village of Odessa, New Castle County aforesaid, with the frame dwelling house thereon erected, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

BEGINNING on Osborne street at a corner of this and a lot of Leonard Gilch; thence with said line of said Gilch, southwesterly direction one hundred and sixty feet to a twenty foot alley or street; thence with said alley a northwesterly direction to a corner of the lot of the widow Wollaston; thence with the line of said Wollaston, northwesterly direction, one hundred and sixty feet, back to Osborne street; thence with said Osborne street, a southeasterly direction eighty feet to the place of BEGINNING, containing twelve thousand eight hundred square feet of land, be the same more or less.

TERMS OF SALE

The highest and best bidder or bidders to be the purchaser or purchasers, who will be required to pay the Trustee the full amount of the purchase price as soon as the property is struck off or the sale will be void. The property immediately assigned to a second.

The Trustee will make return of said sale to the adjourned Orphans' Court, to be held at Wilmington, on Wednesday, November 15th, 1922, when if the sale be approved, a deed or deeds will be made and delivered to the purchaser or purchasers.

Attendance will be given by HARRY EMMONS, Trustee, or by his Attorney.

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THE UNIVERSAL CAR

Reduces Prices

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Announcing the Lowest Prices in the History of the Ford Motor Company

Chassis (Regular)	\$235	Ton Truck Chassis	\$380
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Touring (Regular)	\$298	Sedan	\$595

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H. A. BURRIS

MIDDLETOWN

DELAWARE

LEAVE IT TO THE HATBAND
Bank Officials Satisfied Initials There
Are Reasonable Method of
Identification.

"Cash a check for \$200?"
The paying teller gulped and then
asked, "Have you an identification?"
The man outside the wire window
opened his wallet and produced his
automobile owner's license.

"I'm sorry," declared the teller, "but
that won't do."

The man with the check produced
legal documents, letters and other pa-
pers which happened to be in his brief
case.

"Sorry again," came from behind
the window, "but none of these will
do. Let's see your hat."

The customer handed over his
weather-worn straw for examination.
After a glance in the leather band the
clerk methodically counted out the
money.

"That's the surest identification,"
confided the teller, "for although im-
postors might have all kinds of fake
documents to prove who they are,
they are not likely to think of having
letters in their hats to correspond
with those under which they seek to
get money. Of course, the 'J' may
stand for Joseph Johnson, but the
chances are in favor of John Jones.
The hat beats all legal documents for
telling the truth."

OLD ENGLISH HEDGES GOING

Landscape Beauties Being Sacrificed
to Demands for Increased Pro-
duction From Land.

One of England's greatest beauties,
the hedgerow of hawthorn, or "May,"
is rapidly disappearing. Driven out
by the tractor, either in the west of
England, noted for its double hedge-
rows, sometimes with narrow paths
between, or the Eastlands, with hedges
and dikes alternating to the marshes,
some landmark of this kind has dis-
appeared.

In Hertfordshire and Sussex this
one thing is happening and the old
sturdy roots are being dug up and
burned, and replaced by miles upon
miles of wire fences, to keep the sheep
within bounds. Young college-bred
farmers, filled with enthusiasm, facts
and labor-saving ideas, have it all
worked out, and much of the beauty
of rural England with it. Cut all the
hedges out of four fields of 10 acres;
you and one man and one tractor can plow it
in 10 days; where with hedges it took a
horse plow 40 days to accomplish the
same result.

What Counts.

There was a gleam of triumph in
the young man's eyes as he gazed at
the woman he loved.

"I'm going to write a great novel that
will make me famous," he said.

The beautiful girl remained seated
and made no reply.

"Then I have a scheme to bring
peace and happiness to the world," he
continued.

She still remained seated.

"In order to carry out this scheme
I needed money," he went on, "so I
played the market and won over a
million."

She jumped up and fell into his
arms.

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